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1. Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 63-253348,  
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2. Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 01-227139,  
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3. Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 04-123173,  
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4. Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 04-155581,  
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